"Feminine" Basket Shooters Will Hold Forth at Y. W. Each Friday in Spring Schedule of the S. S. League.

day evening at the Young Women's ing. Caristian association, when the first His life, it is said, was saved by his tunity to play with every other there st., Monday night. will be three games each Friday evening from now until March or April. the first half of each game will be and putting it to his mouth played successively, followed by the Mrs. Bedger knocked the phial of second halves in succession,

vs. First Christian; St. Paul old lady friend.

The captains of the various teams throat. which will compete this year are Miss Zella Weinberg, First Baptist; Miss Erma Dale, First Christian; Miss Pearl Rupel, First M. E.; Miss Margaret Lippincott, First Presbyterian; Miss Irene Thompson, St. Paul's Memorial M. E.; Miss Marjory Herbster, Epworth Memorial.

## TWO RURAL CENTERS TO MEET THIS WEEK

Lydick Community Club Assembles Wednesday Night and Bertrand on Thursday.

Social center activities in the county will begin Wednesday with an all day meeting of the Lydick Community \$1,23% club at the W. O. W. hall at Lydick. Thursday evening the first meeting of 1915 of the Bertrand Social Center club will be held. Two more for January will follow this meeting, one Jan, 10 and another Jan. 23.

The program of the Lydick club will be featured by reports of the work done during the past year, the election of officers addresses and recitations. Perhaps the most interesting 8.25; common, \$6.00@6.59; common to tations. Perhaps the most interesting paper on "Experience with Foot and @6.50; veal calves. \$11.00@11.50; heavy Mouth Disease," by Arthur Perry and and thin calves, \$7.00@8.00. followed by a discussion led by Dr. | SHEEP and McClure, government inspector, who Market, heavy. Prime wethers, \$6.00@6.25; has been in St. Joseph county since good mixed, \$5.50@5.85; fair mixed, \$4.50

by Pres't W. S. Stroup, while Ray ket, active. Prime heavy hogs, \$7.30; Mikesell will discuss corn growing, mediums, \$7.35@7.40; heavy yorkers, \$7.45 Plans for community sale of live stock and also for a farmers' school will \$7.50; light yorkers, \$7.45@7.50; pigs, hope of reducing expenses. \$7.45@7.50; stags, hope of reducing expenses. Sen. John B. Faulknor of the discussed.

The Lydick Center held nine meetings in the past year and conducted cooperative buying involving over \$1,000. It is estimated that \$125 was ive. Prime steers, \$9.00@9.15; butcher The meeting Wednesday will open active. Cull to choice, \$6.00@12.50.

Bertrand club will be featured by an \$6,00@7.50; sheep, \$2.00@6.25. address by Dr. H. Helmen on "First active; 5c higher. Yorkers, \$7.50@7.75; Aid to the Injured." Sunday evening, pigs, \$7.0017.75; mixed, \$7.40@7.75; Jan. 10, a special song service will heavy. \$7.40; roughs, \$6.00@6.75; stags. be given, led by Mrs. Wooster. Satur- \$4.75@6.25. day will be an all day meeting, the feature being the farmers' institute.

### MUST PAY BOARD BILL BY FEB. 2 SAYS CITY JUDGE

Emerick Conklin, 436 N. Main st., will have until Feb. 2 to pay a board | ALSIKE (prime)-Cash, \$3.45; March, bill of \$16 to Mrs. Nida Paratt of the \$3.501/2. same address, according to a decision reached by Judge Warner in city court Tuesday morning. The plaintiff alleged that Conklin and his wife had come to her home five weeks ago and had rented light housekeeping apartments, for which they paid the first week in advance. Since then, said Mrs. Paratt, she had received nothing from them. Conklin's excuse and that of Mrs. Conklin was thet both had been out of work.

Christmas Savings Club, New Year Savings Club. Easter Savings Club.

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Thanksgiving Savings Club,

The depositors of the St. Joseph County Savings Bank and of the St. Eggs, strictly fresh, paying 35c; selling Joseph Loan & Trust Company constitute two large Savings Clubs which have been in existence in South Bend many years and has enabled the thousands of depositors to attain their several objects. A depositor can make the initial deposit at any time to make systematic savings for any desired purpose, can make the deposits as eften and in such amount as shall be found possible and withdraw the same at any time. Four per cent interest allowed on savings deposits com-

pounded semi-annually. NOW IS THE TIME TO COM-MENCE AND GET A SAVINGS DE-

THE CHRISTMAS MONEY CLUB popular club now. American Trust

## WIFE'S INSTINCT SAVED HUSBAND FROM DEATH

Mrs. John Bedger Knocks Phial From Hand of Wouldbe Suicide.

That John Bedger of Edwardsburg. Mich., formerly of this city, will live after having attempted to swallow the Another rousing series of "fem- contents of a small phial of inist" basketball games will open Fri- carbolic acid, was the word given out from Epworth hospital Tuesday morn-

games in the championship series will wife. Mrs. Bedger says that it was be played by teams representing the merely "womanly instinct" that made her follow Bedger to South Bend from various Sunday schools of the city. their home in Edwardsburg. She in order to give every team an oppor- met him at Colfax av. and Lafayette

"Where are you going?" she asked. "I'm tired. Goodbye," he answered The games will begin at 7 o'clock and pulling a bottle from his coat pocket

carbelic acid from her husband's The teams which will play Friday hands. He had succeeded in drinkevening are: First Baptist vs. Ep- ing very little of the fluid according worth Memorial; St. Paul vs. First to the physicians at Epworth hospital Christian; First M. E. vs. First Pres- where he was taken when the police

The remainder of the first part of Bedger is 52 years old and has been the schedule is as follows: Jan. 15, acting queerly for the past two days First Presbyterian vs. First Christian; according to relatives. He and his Epworth Memorial vs. St. Paul; First wife live in Edwardsburg, Mich., and Baptist vs. First M. E. Jan. 22, Ep. went to Mishawaka yesterday after-Memorial vs. First Presby- noon to visit his sister. At supper terian; First Baptist vs. St. Paul; First time he left the house stating that he Christian vs. First M. E. Jan. 29, First was coming to South Bend to visit an

Mrs. Bedger felt that her husband Epworth Memorial. Feb. 5, St. Paul meant to do himself harm and followvs. First M. E.; Epworth Memorial vs. ed him here. It is supposed that he Christian; First Baptist vs. was on his way to a more unfrequent-First Christian. The second part of ed part of the city to drink the poison the schedule will be announced later. when his wife accosted him. Seeing Sc; dressed, 11c to 13c. Few movements started under the her is believed to have made him fear auspices of the association have re- success in carrying out his intention sulted in such enthusiastic response, and hastened the attempt on his life. The girls' Sunday school league was | It was stated by the hospital auship was taken by the First Christian resting well. He is suffering more team after a hard fight with the First fident that the poison, at least no from burns on his face, mouth and

### THE MARKETS

CHICAGO STOCK. UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Jan. 5 .-Hogs-Receipts, 45,000 head. Market, 5@ luc lower. Mixed and butchers, \$6.70@ 7.25; good heavy, \$7.00@7.25; rough heavy, \$6.70@6.90; light, \$6.70@7.20; plgs. CATTLE-Receipts, 7,500 head. Market. weak. Beeves, \$6,00@9.75; cows and heif-SHEEP-Receipts, 15,000 head. Market, heavy. Native and western, \$3.50@6.50; lambs, \$5.75@8.65.

CHICAGO GRAIN. CHICAGO, Jan. 5 .- OPENING: WHEAT-May, \$1.37 to 1.36; July, \$1.24 CORN-May, 76% to 75%c; July, 77 to speakership, it developed that there is OATS-May, 55%c to %c; July, 53% the other candidates. One of the can- E. Chamberlain, 808 N. Allen st., will

PORK-May, \$19.32@30. LARD-May, \$10.92@90. RIBS-May, \$10.60@55. CHICAGO, Jan. 5.-CLOSE: WHEAT-May, \$1.37% @ 14; July,

CORN-May, 75%c; July, 76%@%c. OATS-May, 55%c; July, 53%@%c. PORK-May, \$10.60; Jan., \$19.15. LARD-May, \$11.05; Jan., \$10.75. RIBS-May, \$10.00@62; Jan., \$10.25.

PITTSBURGH STOCK.

good fat bulls, \$5.50@7.50; common to voring the enactment of as few measgood fat cows, \$4.00@7.25; helfers, \$6.00

lambs, \$6.0.@9.00. Alfalfa growing will be discussed Hogs Receipts, 10 double decks. Mar-

BUFFALO STOCK.

CATTLE-Receits, 75 head. Market, act-CALVES Receipts, 170 head. The meeting Thursday night of the @9.00; cull to fair, \$5.00@8.25; yearlings,

HOGS-Receipts, 12,000 head.

TOLEDO GRAIN. TOLEDO, O., Jan. 5.—CLOSE:
WHEAT—Cash, \$1.35%; May, \$1.39%.
CORN—Cash, 72½c; May, 77%c; July,
R. P. Milton Closing Out Entire Drug

OATS-Cash, 53%c; May, 51%c. RYE-No. 2, \$1.12. CLOVE SEED (prime)-Cash, \$9.621/4 March, \$9.721/2.

POULTRY AND MEATS. (Corrected Daily by Jimmie's Market, 123) Jefferson Blvd.)

POULTRY—Paying 10c; selling 16c. SPRINGERS Paying 11c; selling 18c. VEAL-Paying 10c; selling 10c to 25c. BEEF Roast, 25c; boiling, 12c; porterouse, 30c to 40c; sirioin, 30c. HAM-Selling 18c LARD-Selling 18c.

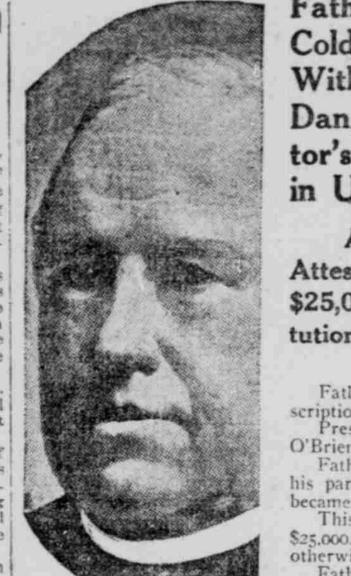
E. Jefferson Blvd Summer Vacation Savings Club, at 20e to 50c per doz.; lemons, per case \$4.50, selling at 40c per doz.; bananas, per Ready For Marriage Savings 30c per doz., selling at 5c per head; new fects of the anaesthetic and shock. potatoes, paying 40c, selling at 60c. New Home Savings Club, BUTTER AND EGGS Country butter, ican drug store on N. Main st. Education Savings Club, paying 20c to 30c, selling at 25c to 35c creamery butter, paying 34c, selling 38c

> Store, 114 E. Wayne St.) TIMOTHY \$3.00 per bu. RED CLOVER-\$7.00 to \$8.50 per bu. ALFALI a-\$10.00 per bu. ALSIKE CLOVER-\$10.00 per bu.

Corrected Daily by the Wesley Miller ! Flour and Feed Co., 420 S. Michigan St.) | HAY-Paying, \$12.00 to \$14.00; selling t 816.00 to \$18.00. \$5.00 and 50c per bale. CORN-Paying, 65c; selling, 75c to 80c. OATS-Paying, 48c; selling, 55c to 60c. CLOVER SEED Paying, \$7.00 to \$8.00. TIMOTHY -Selling at \$3.50. ALFALFA-Selling at \$10.00.

FLOUR AND FEED. WHEAT-Paying, \$1.16 per bu.; selling,

## OLD FASHIONED FAMILY REMEDY FOR COLDS AND BODY BUILDING



Father John's Medicine Treats Colds and Builds Up the Body Without Use of Alcohol or Dangerous Drugs. - A Doctor's Prescription, 50 Years in Use.

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Father John's Medicine is a doctor's pre-Prescribed for the late Rev. Father John O'Brien, of Lowell, Mass., by his physician

Father John recommended this pressibility parishioners and friends and ir became known as Father John's M

CORN-Paying, 60c per bu.; selling, 75c to S0c per bu.

RYE—Paying, 93c per bu.

LIVE STOCK.

(Corrected Daily by Major Bros., S. HEAVY FAT STEERS-Live. HOGS 200 lbs., \$6.50 to \$6.75. LAMBS-Live, 5c to 7c; dressed, 12c to

TALLOW AND HIDES. organized last year and the champion- thorities at midnight that Bedger was (Corrected Dally by S. W. Lippman, 210 a sister and three brothers. Miss TALLOW-Rough, 2c to 3c; rendered, No. 1, 4c to 6c; No. 2, 3c to 4c. HIDES—Green No. 1, 10c to 12c; cured calf skin, 10c to 15c.

### SENATORS CAUCUS TONIGHT TO PLAN FOR ORGANIZATION

(CONTINUE DEROM PAGE ONE) sembly of 1915 or by the people at a special election ordered by that assembly," the circulars set forth, and weak. Beeves, \$6.00@9.75; cows and helf-ers, \$3.50@8.40; stockers and feeders, \$4.50 then adds: "We call on all citizens Tenn., in 1849, but she had lived in 66.40; Texans, \$6.0067.25; calves, \$7.00 who wish to see Indiana in the foremost ranks of well organized states to cooperate in our movement to secure an up-to-date constitution."

Bedwell Looming Up. While Rep. Charles H. Bedwell of Sullivan continued to loom up last night as the leading candidate for the much bitterness among the friends of at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. didates expressed himself very em- be held at the residence at 10 o'clock phatically against Gov. Ralston and Wednesday morning, Rev. M. E. Hunt his appointees, asserting that they are officiating. The body will be taken attempting to dictate who shall be to Leesburg for burial. elected, and declaring that they are "laying down" on all of the demo-cratic members in order to obtain NEW YEAR AUGURS ILL votes for Bedwell.

There was no opposition among the republicans to the suggestion that ceive the complimentary vote for the speakership.

Favor Few Measures. Among the democratic members common, \$6.00@6.50; common to there appeared a strong sentiment faures as possible. All of the demofor the combination of several minor the court to grant them a divorce.

ture should enact as few laws as pos- custody of six children and for \$1,000 ble. This seemed to be the sentiment alimony.

Stock at Tremendous Price

Reductions. On account of going out of busi-Combs, Hair and Tooth Brushes, end the European war. Cloth and Bath Brushes, Kodaks and Supplies, Hand Mirrors, Toilet Powders and Creams, Perfumes and all the little things needed for Bath Room or Dressing Table, MILTON'S DRUG STORE,

117 W. Washington av. KEEGAN HAS OPERATION

Drug Man Recovers From Ill Effects of Anaesthetic and is Improved.

The condition of M. B. Keegan, 422 Corrected Daily by F. W. Mueller, 216 W. LaSalle av., who was operated upon for appendicitis at Epworth hos-FRUIT-Oranges, per case \$2.75, selling pital Monday evening, was improved, according to authorities at the hosbunch \$1.7', selling at 5c to 25c per doz. pital Tuesday morning. It was said VEGETABLES-New cabbage, paying that he had recovered from the ef-Mr. Keegan is manager of the Amer-

> AMERICAN TRUST CO.'S CHRIST-MAS MONEY CLUB.

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> NOTICE TEAM OWNERS. Regular meeting Thursday night at Central Labor Union hall. Pres't J. W. Vernon. WANTED-Competent girl for housework

No washing. Inquire 1043 E. Second st.

Mrs. F. C. Grimes.

MRS. JENNIE McAFFRY. brothers live in Briceville, Tenn.

Funeral services will be held at the home Tuesday evening at 5 o'clock, until which time the body may be viewed. The body will be sent to Knoxville. Tenn., Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock over the Vandalia railroad, where the funeral services

Frank A. Clark, reader of the First Church & Christ, Scientist, will officiate at the services at the home. Mrs. McAffry was born in Coal Creek, South Bend but eight years.

### FUNERALS.

MRS, CAROLINE HOMAN. Funeral services for Mrs. Caroline

## FOR AT LEAST TWO HOMES

Rep. Jesse Eschbach of Warsaw re- Dora Dlugasz and Laura Kryder Leave Husbands Because, They Say, They Were Abused.

eratic lawmakers are talking econ- on that day that Dora Diugasz left omy. One democratic senator stated her husband, after seven years of last night that he has prepared a bill married life. Both women now ask @5.25; culls and common, \$2.50@3.50; departments at the state house, so Dora Dlugasz, in her petition to the the Chicago chamber of commerce, that they may be operated at a sav- circuit court, says that she married will feature the first of a new series of ing to the state. It was evident that John Dlugasz in the year 1907, but many of the legislators are in favor that during the latter years of their of abolishing several departments in married life he took to beating her at the Oliver Thursday. The comand also became an habitual drunk-Sen. John B. Faulknor of Michigan and until she found it impossible to City stated yesterday that the legisla- remain with him. She asks for the

> of many members. Few appeared to Laura Kryder says that she married business men of Chicago. be carrying around the usual number David Kryder in 1898 and that during of bills. Sen, Chester McCormick of the last six years of their married life features of the chamber to bring North Judson, one of the democratic he has been cruel to her in that he about a closer relationship between members, said that he will introduce has struck her and reviled her and the business men, and will be cona bill to do away with the death pen- has threatened violent injury to her. tinued on each Thursday. alty. Sen. Glenn VanAuken of Au- She declares that she has recently had burn stated that he will introduce a to take in washing in order to support stringent anti-lobyist bill. There is a herself and children. She asks now sentiment among the members fa- for a divorce and the custody of two st., have petitioned the circuit court defendant now asks that he be given order paying the largest am vorable to the enactment of an anti- children, together with sufficient to permit them to adopt Dorthea the divorce saying that his wife used and lobyist bill at the opening of the ses- money to support her and the chil- Irene Strycker, one year old. whose vile language toward him and abused week

RUMOR U. S. SENT ENVOY. ROME, Jan. 4.-It is rumored here today that the United States is sending a special envoy to Pope Benedict XV to discuss with the pontiff ness immense savings are offered on and his secretary of state, a plan to popular club now. American Trust Snyder was given possession of a mo- membership card at

Mrs. Jennie McAffry, 66 years old, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Fisher, 411 W. Lasalle av., at 9:40 o'clock Tuesday morning is survived by two daughters, a son, Fannie McAffry and Mrs. J. E. Hunn. cutt of Atlanta, Ga., are the daughters; Joseph McAffry is the son. The sister, Mrs. Katherine Hill, and three

terns. Also Voiles of sheer foundation with embroidered and interwoven designs, in white and colors. Some of the most beautitul of the season's novelties in white goods. 22-inch to 45-inch at 121/2c, 20c, 25c, 50c, 69c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 yd.

	36-inch	Ideal	Sheer	Nainsook 111/2c	yd
-				Nainsook 15c	
	36-inch	Ideal	Sheer	Nainsook 20c	yd
	36-inch	Idea1	Sheer	Nainsook 25c	yd
	45-inch	Idea1	Sheer	Nainsook 25c	yd
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Voile fabrics, in plain weaves and pat-

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### Longcloths

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45-inch	English	Longcloth		*	ŷ.	. 25c	yd.

India Linons 30-inch India Linons, for the general uses of every home, 81/2c, 10c, 121/2c, 15c, 20c

### CHICAGOAN TO ADDRESS FIRST LUNCHEON THURSDAY

Edward E. Gore, vice president of mittee announced Tuesday that Mr. Gore had consented to appear before the local business men and deliver a

WOULD ADOPT CHILD.

### TO DISCUSS BROTHERHOOD FOR CITY'S YOUNG MEN

Members of the Sunday school teams that have been conducting a membership campaign in the churchnoon luncheons of the local chamber es of the city since early in December, will meet tonight at the Y. M. C. A. at a stag party. Preceding the Niespodziany and wife seeking to have social part of the evening a short a deed reformed. It is alleged that business session will be held. The talk. Mr. Gore is one of the leading proposition of formulating a Sunday was sold, so that the transfer was for school association or young men's more than was intended, which was brotherhood will be discussed.

### NOTES OF THE COURT.

A cross-complaint has been filed in the superior court by Ernest Reetz in the action brought by his wife last | Begin weekly payments with 1c. mother has given consent for the him while he was disabled with rheuadoption and whose father is living in matism.

A judgment for the plaintiff was these members will rendered in the justice court of Elmer | \$127.50. One 5c membership nets you Is now open and you can start an Peak in the case of George Snyder \$63.75, Dec. 15th, 1915. Everybody's account with 1c, 2c or 5c. Join this against the Wells-Fargo Express Co. joining, so hurry down and get your Advt. toreycle which was being held sub- Advt.

ject to claims of the consignor

Ray H. Wolfe and wife, 712 E. olfax av., have petitioned the circuit court to permit them to adopt Calista Smith, born on Dec. 20. The mother of the child has filed a waiver. The esidence of the father is unknown,

Joseph Kasurski has brought action the circuit court against Stanislus an erroneous description was made n the deed when certain farm land supposed to have been 40 acres for

AMERICAN TRUST COES CHRISTS

Carl F. Pressnal and wife, 38 Spring | October to secure a divorce. The 5c, 25c, or 50c or you may reverse the

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